Hepatitis A Outbreak

With 309 cases, Columbus & Franklin County continue to investigate and respond to the largest hepatitis A outbreak in our community in 25 years.

Data as of March 4, 2019

Ohio Hepatitis A Outbreak Cases

Outbreak Cases	1,889
Hospitalizations	1,179 (62%)
Deaths	7 (<1%)
Number of Counties in Ohio with Cases	71 (81%)

Note: Table does not include all reported hepatitis A cases in Ohio; only those cases that are identified as outbreak-related.

Statewide Community Outbreak information is available here: Ohio Hepatitis A Community Outbreak Summary

Columbus & Franklin County Hepatitis A Outbreak Cases

Total Cases*		309
Columbus cases		241 (78%)
Franklin County cases		68 (22%)
Hospitalizations		226 (73%)
Deaths		0 (0%)
Age Range		7-80 years
Gender	Male	182 (59%)
	Female	127 (39%)
Ethnicity	Non-Hispanic	303 (99%)
	Hispanic	4 (1%)
Race	White	266 (87%)
	Black	36 (12%)
	Other	7 (2%)
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^{*}Columbus and Franklin County jurisdiction cases are not a subset of all Ohio Hepatitis A outbreak cases. This number may differ from the county total.

Hepatitis A Prevention (Provided by Public Health)

Vaccines Administered*	4,195
Education Cards Distributed	1,230

^{*}Vaccines administered from July 3, 2018 – March 5, 2019

Data Sources: Ohio Disease Reporting System, CPH NextGen records and Hepatitis A vaccine log

